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HOUSE BILLS

FORTY-FIFTH REGULAR SESSION UNDER THE ADOPTION OF THE CONSTITUTION OF 1974

HOUSE BILL NO. 4—
REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2334 and R.S. 13:4345, relative to sheriff's sales of property; to provide for alternative procedures for publication of mortgage and other certificates; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

February 1—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/1/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—
REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 14:91.10, relative to persons convicted of a sex offense; to prohibit persons convicted a sex offense from participating in a home school program; to prohibit persons convicted of a sex offense from being physically present in certain locations used for home study program purposes; to provide for exceptions; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

February 1—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/1/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 6—
REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 14:99.3 and Code of Criminal Procedure Article 211.3, relative to driving offenses; to create the crime of aggressive driving; to provide elements of the crime; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for a suspension of the offender's driver's license; to authorize the issuance of a summons in lieu of arrest of persons who commit the offense; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 4—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

February 8—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/8/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 7—
REPRESENTATIVE DWIGHT**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 14:73.11, relative to communications; to create the crime of communication interference; to provide elements of the crime; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 6—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

February 8—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/8/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 8—
REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:109.4(C), relative to the use of certain vehicles on wildlife management areas; to provide for the operation of airboats on the Maurepas Swamp Wildlife Management Area; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 13—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Environment.

February 15—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/15/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 9—
REPRESENTATIVE MARINO**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 983(H) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 983(I), relative to expungement of records; to provide relative to costs of expungement of a record; to provide for circumstances when two or more offenses arise out of the same arrest; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 14—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

February 15—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/15/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 10—

REPRESENTATIVE MARINO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:255(V), relative to witness fees; to provide relative to witness fees in the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District; to provide for the transfer of certain surplus witness fees; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 18—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

February 22—

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 11—

REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 815(A) and to enact Children's Code Article 814(B)(3), relative to taking a child into custody; to authorize the release of a seventeen-year-old taken into custody for the commission of a misdemeanor-grade delinquent act upon the issuance of a summons or upon his written promise to appear; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 19—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

February 22—

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 12—

REPRESENTATIVE STEVE CARTER

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 20(A)(11) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide relative to ad valorem taxation; to authorize a parish governing authority to change the amount of the homestead exemption with voter approval; to require certain millage adjustments associated with implementation of a change in the homestead exemption; to provide for effectiveness; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 19—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

February 22—

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 13—

REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2094, relative to the Registrars of Voters Employees' Retirement System; to provide for the appointment of a natural or juridical person as director; to prohibit a person from serving as both the system director and actuary or auditor; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 20—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 14—

REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:157(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 11:157(D), relative to membership in the Firefighters' Retirement System and the Municipal Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to rejoining the system and the purchase of service credit under certain circumstances; to provide for membership verification; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 20—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 15—

REPRESENTATIVE CARPENTER

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 11:2259(B), relative to certain optional retirement benefits provided for in the Firefighters' Retirement System; to repeal provisions applicable to a person who marries after retiring.

—HOUSE—

February 20—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 16—

REPRESENTATIVE ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2253(A)(1)(a), relative to membership in the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to medical qualifications for membership; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 20—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 17—

REPRESENTATIVE ABRAHAM

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2256(E)(3)(a) and to repeal R.S. 11:2256(E)(3)(b), relative to employee contributions to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide relative to the refund of employee contributions; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 20—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 18—

REPRESENTATIVE ROBBY CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4712.20, relative to the naming of a fire station by Amite City; to authorize the governing authority of Amite City to name a fire station in honor of a living person; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 20—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—

REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:23, relative to payment of certain unfunded accrued liability of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative calculation and distribution of minimum foundation program funds; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide relative to the obligations of employers in the retirement system; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 20—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Education.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 20—

REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1142(C), relative to members who withdraw from the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide relative to the retirement contributions of such members; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 20—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 21—

REPRESENTATIVE PEARSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:22(B)(4), 42(B)(3), and 103(B)(3)(e)(i) and to enact R.S. 11:2252(24), relative to actuarial funding of the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to actuarial funding methods and amortization of unfunded accrued liabilities; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 20—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 22—

REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:2225(F), to provide relative to the earnable compensation of certain employees of the Baton Rouge Police Department who are members of the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System; to provide for retirement benefits; to provide for actuarial certification of the cost of such benefits; to provide for repayment of associated costs paid by the system; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 21—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 23—

REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2019-2020 to be used to pay the final judgment in the suit entitled "Jean Boudreaux and the Victims of the Flood on April 6, 1983 on the Tangipahoa River v. State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; to provide for interest; to provide for court costs; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 21—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 24—

REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1903(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact 11:1902(12)(e), relative to membership in the Parochial Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for membership of employees of certain public trusts; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 21—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 25—

REPRESENTATIVE MCMAHEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:52.2(E) and 92.2(A)(4) and R.S. 15:1212(B)(4), to enact R.S. 14:2(C), and to repeal R.S. 14:34.1(B)(3), 34.7(B)(3), 34.9(B)(4), 35.3(B)(6), 39.2(C), 43.2(B), 64.4(A)(2), 93.2.3(A)(2), 100(B)(2), 102.12(4), 102.22(B)(2), 108.1(E)(2)(b), 231(D)(4), 403(A)(1)(b)(ii), 403.7(B)(4), and 502(B)(3), relative to the definition of "serious bodily injury"; to provide a universal definition of "serious bodily injury" for purposes of Title 14 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 21—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

February 22—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 26—

REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:4712.20, relative to the naming of public buildings by the town of Church Point; to authorize the governing authority of the town of Church Point to name a community center in honor of a living person; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 22—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—

REPRESENTATIVE JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1762(A)(2) and 1821(G)(3) and (4), relative to elected officials who are members of the Municipal Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide relative to membership of elected officials on the board of trustees; to provide relative to the reemployment of

part-time elected officials; to provide for calculation of benefits; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 22—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 28—

REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:62(4), (5), (10), and (11), 102(B)(1) and (3)(a), (C)(2)(a) and (b), (3)(a), (h), (j), (k), and (m), (6)(a), (b)(i), (c), and (d), (D)(2)(a) and (b), (3), (4), (5), and (6)(a), (b), and (c), (E)(1), and (F)(1), 247(A)(1), (D), and (E), 542(C), 883.1(C), 927(A) and (B)(2)(a) and (b) and (3)(a)(i), 1145.1(B), 1332(B) and (F), and to enact R.S. 11:62(4.1), (5.1), (10.1), and (11.1), 102(C)(3)(n), 102.7, and Chapter 7 of Subtitle I of Title 11 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 11:1399.1 through 1399.11, relative to benefits for public employees whose first employment making them eligible for membership in a state system occurred on or after a date certain; to provide with respect to membership, credits, eligibility, accruals, and benefits of such members; to provide with respect to employee and employer contributions; to provide relative to system assets and liabilities attributable to such members; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 22—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Retirement.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 29—

REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT JOHNSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:620(E), relative to health insurance premiums for certain retirees; to provide relative to payment of insurance premiums for certain retirees of the Hazardous Duty Services Plan in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 22—
Prefiled. To be introduced at a later date.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/22/2019.

HOUSE BILL NO. 30—

REPRESENTATIVE BACALA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:562(A)(2) and (C) and 1309(D)(1), relative to voting; to provide relative to procedures for identifying voters at the polls; to provide for the forms of identification required for voting; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 25—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 31—

REPRESENTATIVE DEVILLIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:601(A), (B), and (C)(2) and to enact R.S. 47:611(C), relative to the corporate franchise tax; to provide for the rate of the corporate franchise tax; to provide for a reduction and eventual elimination of the corporate franchise tax; to prohibit the levy of an initial tax under certain circumstances; to provide for applicability; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 26—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 32—

REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Evidence Article 504(C)(5) and to enact Code of Evidence Article 504(C)(6), relative to testimonial privileges; to provide relative to the spousal confidential communications privilege; to add an exception to the privilege for communications made in furtherance of or while participating in a crime or civil wrong or a conspiracy thereto; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 26—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 33—

REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.28, relative to the Homer police department; to authorize the police chief to appoint, promote, and discipline police personnel; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 27—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 34—

REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2541.7, relative to the municipal fire and police civil service; to provide relative to the position of fire chief for the city of Covington; to provide that such position is in the unclassified service; to provide relative to the appointment, supervision, and discharge of any person in any such position; to provide relative to qualifications; to provide relative to resignation from the position and return to the classified service; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 27—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs.

HOUSE BILL NO. 35—

REPRESENTATIVES FRANKLIN AND DWIGHT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(E) and (H), relative to city court jurisdiction; to provide relative to the civil jurisdiction concurrent with the district court in cases where the amount in dispute does not exceed fifty thousand dollars; to provide for the jurisdictional amount in dispute for the City Court of Lake Charles; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 27—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

HOUSE BILL NO. 36—

REPRESENTATIVE STEFANSKI

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2135(H) and 2136(H) and to enact R.S. 46:2135(I) and 2136(I), relative to domestic abuse; to provide relative to the issuance of a temporary restraining order or protective order in domestic abuse cases; to require certain notice to be given to the petitioner; to provide relative to the duty of law enforcement upon receipt of a copy of a Uniform Abuse Prevention Order; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 27—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 37—

REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(J), relative to parole eligibility; to provide parole eligibility for offenders who serve as mentors in the inmate rehabilitation and workforce development program; to provide criteria for eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 27—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 38—

REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:91.6(A) and 91.8(C), (D), (E), and (F)(1) and (2)(introductory paragraph) and (a), relative to offenses affecting general morality; to provide relative to the unlawful distribution, sale, purchase, or possession of tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor products; to raise the minimum age of persons relative to the distribution, sale, purchase, or possession of any tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor product; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—

REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:255(V), relative to costs of courts; to provide relative to witness fees for off-duty law enforcement officers; to authorize the transfer of certain witness fee surplus funds within the Eighth Judicial District; to provide for the transfer procedures and use of funds; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 1—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.
